

Family Partnership



Description

The Family Partnership provides information and support to children and youth with special health care needs and their families. These individuals are also given the opportunity to network with each other through various settings, including regional and statewide meetings.

The Bureau of Special Health Care needs (SHCN) uses information from members to enhance the relationship between SHCN and the individuals and families it serves.

Members

Family Partnership members include individuals with special health care needs as well as parents, legal guardians or siblings.

Objectives

- Provide families with the opportunity to offer each other support and information.
- Give families the opportunity to provide SHCN input on the needs of individuals with special health care needs.
- Build public and community awareness of the unique needs and issues facing families of individuals with special health care needs.
- Promote legislation for programs for special health care needs individuals and their families.

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